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Security Council

10:00 — **8101st meeting** [webcast] — Security Council Chamber

1. Adoption of the agenda
2. Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan and South Sudan

Morning (following the 8101st meeting) — **8102nd meeting** [webcast] — Security Council Chamber

1. Adoption of the agenda
2. The situation in the Central African Republic

   Report of the Secretary-General on the Central African Republic (S/2017/865)

Morning (following the 8102nd meeting) — **8103rd meeting** [webcast] — Security Council Chamber

1. Adoption of the agenda
2. Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan and South Sudan

   Report of the Secretary-General on the African Union-United Nations Hybrid Operation in Darfur (S/2017/907)

Morning (following the 8103rd meeting) — **Consultations of the whole (closed)** — Consultations Room

UNAMID (S/2017/907)

Other matters

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General Assembly

Seventy-second session

Informal consultations under agenda item 77 (a) (Oceans and the law of the sea)

10:00 to 13:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room 6
15:00 to 18:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room 6

Main Committees

Fifth Committee

10:00 to 13:00	Informal consultations (closed)	Conference Room 5

Informal consultations on agenda item 136 (Proposed programme budget for the biennium 2018-2019:

Proposed regional restructuring of the Office of the High Commissioner for Human Rights: increasing efficiency and effectiveness in the implementation of General Assembly resolution 48/141 (A/71/218, A/71/218/Corr.1 and A/71/584)

Construction and property management: Seismic mitigation retrofit and life-cycle replacements project at the Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the Pacific premises in Bangkok (A/72/338*, A/72/338/Corr.1 and A/72/7/Add.6))

[The *list of speakers* for the general discussion on all agenda items before the Fifth Committee *is open*. Delegations wishing to be inscribed on the list are kindly requested to send an e-mail to fifthcommittee@un.org. In addition to providing *25 copies* of their statement to the Conference Room Officer, delegations are kindly requested to provide an electronic copy to the secretariat of the Committee (e-mail fifthcommittee@un.org), prior to the start of the meeting. Background information on the work of the Fifth Committee is available at http://www.un.org/en/ga/fifth.]

Committee on the Exercise of the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People

10:00 to 13:00	385th meeting	Conference Room 11

Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions

10:00 to 13:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room 10

1. Estimates in respect of special political missions, good offices and other political initiatives authorized by the General Assembly and/or the Security Council

   Thematic cluster III: Regional offices, offices in support of political processes and other United Nations Verification missions; United Nations Support Mission in Libya

2. Executive meeting

Security Council

Security Council Working Group on Children and Armed Conflict

15:00 to 16:30	68th meeting (closed)	Conference Room 7

Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 2206 (2015) concerning South Sudan

16:30 to 18:00 Informal consultations (closed) Conference Room 7

1. Presentation by the Coordinator of the Panel of Experts on the interim report submitted in pursuance of paragraph 2 of Security Council resolution 2353 (2017)
2. Discussion of the table of recommendations emanating from the interim report of the Panel of Experts
3. Other matters

Executive Board of the United Nations Development Programme, the United Nations Population Fund and the United Nations Office for Project Services

Informal consultations

10:00 to 13:00 Conference Room A

On the draft decision on the UNDP Strategic Plan 2018-2021

15:00 to 18:00 Conference Room A

On the draft decision on the UNDP Integrated Budget 2018-2021

All member and observer delegations are invited to attend.

United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea

Commission on the Limits of the Continental Shelf
Forty-fifth session

There will be closed meetings of the subcommissions established by the Commission on the Limits of the Continental Shelf *today*, 15 November 2017, from 10:00 to 13:00 and from 15:00 to 18:00, at the Geographic Information System laboratories of the Division for Ocean Affairs and the Law of the Sea (DC2 Building, 4th Floor).

Informal meetings on draft proposals convened by delegations

The agenda of the seventy-second session of the General Assembly is contained in documents A/72/251, A/72/251/Add.1, A/72/252 and A/72/252/Add.1. The meetings under this header are closed.

General Assembly

Informal informal consultations on the draft resolution entitled "The impact of exponential technological change on sustainable development and peace" (under agenda item 177) (convened by the delegation of Mexico)

09:00 to 11:00 Conference Room F

Informal consultations on the draft resolutions entitled "Global health and foreign policy" and "International Universal Health Coverage (UHC) Day" (under agenda item 127) (convened by the delegation of Thailand)

10:00 to 13:00 Conference Room 9

Informal consultations on the draft resolution entitled "Strengthening of the coordination of emergency humanitarian assistance of the United Nations" (under agenda item 73 (a)) (convened by the delegation of Sweden)

10:00 to 13:00 Conference Room 8

15:00 to 18:00 Conference Room 8

Informal consultations on the draft resolution entitled "Follow up on the Declaration and Program of Action for a Culture of Peace" (under agenda item 15) (convened by the delegation of Bangladesh)

15:00 to 18:00 Conference Room F

Informal consultations on the draft resolution entitled "Investigation into the conditions and circumstances resulting in the tragic death of Dag Hammarskjöld and of the members of the party accompanying him" (under agenda item 130) (convened by the delegation of Sweden)

15:00 to 16:00 Conference Room 11

Second Committee

Informal informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.2/72/L.39, entitled "Implementation of Agenda 21, the Programme for the Further Implementation of Agenda 21 and the outcomes of the World Summit on Sustainable Development and of the United Nations Conference on Sustainable Development" (under agenda item 19 (a)) (convened by the delegation of Guyana)

10:00 to 13:00 Permanent Mission of Guyana (801 Second Avenue, 5th Floor)

Informal informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.2/72/L.23, entitled "Middle income countries" (under agenda item 21 (d)) (convened by the delegation of Australia)

10:00 to 12:00 Conference Room B

Informal informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.2/72/L.36, entitled "Implementation of the outcomes of the United Nations Conferences on Human Settlements and on Housing and Sustainable Urban Development and strengthening of the United Nations Human Settlements Programme (UN-Habitat)" (under agenda item 20) (convened by the delegation of Zambia)

11:00 to 13:00 Conference Room C

15:00 to 18:00 Conference Room B

Informal informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.2/72/L.37, entitled "Implementation of the United Nations Convention to Combat Desertification in Those Countries Experiencing Serious Drought and/or Desertification, Particularly in Africa" (under agenda item 19 (e)) (convened by the delegation of Iceland)

12:00 to 15:00 Conference Room S-2723

Informal informals consultations on draft resolution A/C.2/72/L.31, entitled "Follow-up to the Fourth United Nations Conference on the Least Developed Countries" (under agenda item 22 (a)) (convened by the delegation of Turkey)

13:00 to 15:00 Conference Room B

15:00 to 17:00 Conference Room S-2727

Informal informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.2/72/L.43, entitled "South-South cooperation" (under agenda item 24 (b)) (convened by the delegation of Mauritania)

13:15 to 14:30 304 East 45th Street, 12th Floor (FF Building)

15:00 to 17:00 Conference Room S-2727

Third Committee

Informal informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.3/72/L.17, entitled "Violence against women migrant workers" (under agenda item 72 (a)) (convened by the delegation of the Philippines)

09:00 to 10:00 Conference Room C

Informal informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.3/72/L.61, entitled "Assistance to refugees, returnees and displaced persons in Africa" (under agenda item 64) (convened by the delegations of Madagascar and Nigeria (on behalf of the African Group))

15:00 to 17:00 Conference Room C

Other meetings

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Group of 77 (on Second Committee and related matters)

09:00 to 13:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room D
15:00 to 18:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room D

Group of 77 (on Fifth Committee matters)

15:00 to 18:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room 5

Group of Least Developed Countries (on Follow-up to the Fourth United Nations Conference on the Least Developed Countries)

11:00 to 13:00	Closed meeting	Conference Room 12

International Criminal Court (Facilitation on the activation of the Court's jurisdiction over the crime of aggression)

13:15 to 14:30	Closed meeting	Conference Room 11

Arab Group (at the ambassadorial level)

15:00 to 18:00	Closed meeting	Trusteeship Council Chamber

Briefing to Member States on the preparations for the third session of the United Nations Environment Assembly entitled "Towards a Pollution-Free Planet" (A/RES/71/231) (organized by the United Nations Environment Programme (UNEP))

15:00 to 16:30 Conference Room 12

All permanent missions and permanent observer missions are invited. For further information, please contact the New York UNEP Office (Mr. Juan Rengifo (e-mail rengifo@un.org); or Mr. Alejandro Laguna (e-mail laguna@un.org)).

Press conferences

Press Briefing Room (S-0237) [webcast]

For the complete list of press conferences, please click on the link *www.un.org/sg/spokesperson/confschedule.asp*.

Forthcoming official meetings

General Assembly

Seventy-second session

Friday, 17 November 2017

10:00 55th plenary meeting General Assembly Hall

1. Peacebuilding and sustaining peace: draft resolution A/72/L.4 [item 65]

   [*Debate on the item will be scheduled at a later date*]

2. Appointments to fill vacancies in subsidiary organs and other appointment [item 115]

   (a) Appointment of members of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions: report of the Fifth Committee (A/72/566)

   (b) Appointment of members of the Committee on Contributions: report of the Fifth Committee (A/72/567)

   (c) Appointment of a member of the Board of Auditors: report of the Fifth Committee (A/72/571)

   (d) Appointment of members of the International Civil Service Commission: report of the Fifth Committee (A/72/568)

   (e) Appointment of members of the Independent Audit Advisory Committee: report of the Fifth Committee (A/72/569)

   (j) Confirmation of the appointment of members of the Investments Committee: report of the Fifth Committee (A/72/570)

3. Financial reports and audited financial statements, and reports of the Board of Auditors: report of the Fifth Committee (A/72/572) [item 133]

4. Programme planning: report of the Fifth Committee (A/72/524) [item 137]
5. Interaction between the United Nations, national parliaments and the Inter-Parliamentary Union [item 126]

Main Committees

Second Committee

Friday, 17 November 2017

15:00 — 25th meeting — Conference Room 2

The Committee will hear the introduction of and take action on a number of draft resolutions under various agenda items. A more detailed programme will be circulated in Second Committee Place in due course.

Additional information on the work of the Second Committee including relevant documentation is available on the website of the Committee (please *click here*).

Delegations are reminded that announcements from the Bureau and the Committee Secretariat as well as facilitators of draft resolutions are now circulated and can be viewed through the Second Committee Place module in e-deleGATE (please *click here*).

Delegates should contact their respective Missions' access administrators/accreditation focal points to be given individual access rights to the Second Committee Place.

PaperSmart services will be available to the Second Committee at the seventy-second session of the General Assembly. Delegations wishing to circulate their statements electronically through PaperSmart should send a copy of the statement at least *one hour* in advance of delivery to papersmart2@un.org.

The date of the meeting and the agenda item should be indicated in the heading of the statement and in the subject line of the e-mail. Statements will be made available on the Second Committee PaperSmart portal (*click here*) only after delivery by delegations.

Requests for room reservations for informal consultations on Second Committee matters should be sent as soon as possible but *no later than 17:00* of the day before the meeting, to Ms. Patricia Anholt Habr (e-mail habrp@un.org).

Fifth Committee

Thursday, 16 November 2017

10:00	15th meeting	Conference Room 3
Morning (following the 15th meeting)	Informal consultations (closed)	Conference Room 5
15:00 to 17:00	Informal consultations (closed)	Conference Room 5

Security Council

Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1373 (2001) concerning counter-terrorism

Thursday, 16 November 2017

15:00 to 18:00 — Conference Room 4

Open meeting with the Global Counter-Terrorism Research Network partners on "Recent trends in terrorism and counter-terrorism"

Open to Member and Observer States, United Nations entities, intergovernmental organizations, specialized agencies, and non-governmental organizations that have consultative status with ECOSOC, as well as journalists accredited to the United Nations in New York. Inquiries should be addressed to Ms. Farah Kasim, Counter-Terrorism Committee Executive Directorate (CTED) (e-mail farah.kasim@un.org).

Executive Board of the United Nations Development Programme, the United Nations Population Fund and the United Nations Office for Project Services

Informal consultations

Thursday, 16 November 2017

10:00 to 13:00 Conference Room A

On the draft decision on the UNDP Strategic Plan 2018-2021

All member and observer delegations are invited to attend.

15:00 to 18:00 Conference Room A

On the draft decision on the UNDP Integrated Budget 2018-2021

All member and observer delegations are invited to attend.

Special session 2017

Tuesday, 28 November 2017 Economic and Social Council Chamber

The provisional agenda, annotations and list of documents for the session are contained in document DP/2017/L.4. Kindly note that documents for the UNDP segments of the session are posted on the UNDP Executive Board website (*click here*).

Member States, Observers and other organizations attending the session, are requested to e-mail their credentials (names and titles of each delegation member, on official letterhead) as well as any requests to be on the speakers list to the Executive Board Secretariat (e-mail eb.secretariat@undp.org), *as early as possible, but not later than Monday, 20 November 2017.*

The special session 2017 will continue to use the electronic system to identify requests to take the floor. Delegations with a special interest on any of the UNDP agenda items are kindly requested to communicate their intention to intervene during such items to the Executive Board secretariat at eb.secretariat@undp.org.

The special session 2017 will be *PaperSmart*, as per established practice. Instead of distributing hard copies, all official documentation will be available on the Executive Board *PaperSmart* portal.

The *PaperSmart* portal will provide access to the official documents in all official languages. Statements, background documents, informal documents and presentations will be available in the language of submission.

The portal will be accessible via papersmart.un.org. Documents and statements will be available for viewing and downloading through laptops, tablets and/or other mobile devices. Alternatively, Member States may request hard copies of documents using the print on demand icon located next to the document in the *PaperSmart* portal. Member

States may also request hard copies of documents at the Conference Officers' desk located in the conference room. Delegations are invited to send electronic copies of their statements or presentations by e-mail to the *PaperSmart* Secretariat (e-mail papersmart4@un.org), *at least two hours in advance* of their speaking slot.

The intended agenda item should be indicated in the subject line of the e-mail. The statements will be available to view and download via the *PaperSmart* portal upon delivery. Delegations are kindly requested to provide *20 hard copies* of the official statements for the interpretation and other services.

Forthcoming informal meetings on draft proposals convened by delegations

The agenda of the seventy-second session of the General Assembly is contained in documents A/72/251, A/72/251/Add.1, A/72/252 and A/72/252/Add.1. The meetings under this header are closed.

General Assembly

Informal consultations on the draft resolution entitled "Safety and Security of humanitarian personnel and protection of United Nations personnel" (presentation of the zero draft) (under agenda item 73) (convened by the delegation of the European Union)

Thursday, 16 November 2017

10:00 to 13:00 Conference Room 9

Informal consultations on the draft resolution entitled "International cooperation on humanitarian assistance in the field of natural disasters, from relief to development" (under agenda item 73 (a)) (convened by the delegation of Morocco)

Thursday, 16 November 2016

13:15 to 14:30 Conference Room 4

Informal consultations on the draft resolution entitled "Promotion of interreligious and intercultural dialogue, understanding and cooperation for peace" (under agenda item 15) (convened by the delegations of Pakistan and the Philippines)

Thursday, 16 November 2017

15:00 to 17:00 Conference Room 7

Second Committee

Informal informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.2/72/L.22, entitled "Implementation of the Second United Nations Decade for the Eradication of Poverty (2008-2017)" (under agenda item 23 (a)) (convened by the delegations of Ireland and Italy)

Thursday, 16 November 2017

09:00 to 12:00 Conference Room S-12MM2

Informal informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.2/72/L.21, entitled "Women in development" (under agenda item 23 (b)) (convened by the delegation of the United Arab Emirates)

Thursday, 16 November 2017

09:00 to 10:00 .Conference Room B

15:00 to 18:00 Conference Room B

Informal informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.2/72/L.20, entitled "Human Resources Development" (under agenda item 23 (c)) (convened by the delegation of Jordan)

Thursday, 16 November 2017

10:00 to 12:00 .Conference Room C

Informal informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.2/72/L.41, entitled "Operational activities for development of the United Nations system" (under agenda item 24 (a)) (convened by the delegation of Switzerland)

Thursday, 16 November 2017

10:00 to 13:00 .Conference Room B

Informal informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.2/72/L.42, entitled "Towards global partnerships" (under agenda item 26) (convened by the delegation of Switzerland)

Thursday, 16 November 2017

10:00 to 13:00 Trusteeship Council Chamber

Informal informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.2/72/L.37, entitled "Implementation of the United Nations Convention to Combat Desertification in Those Countries Experiencing Serious Drought and/or Desertification, Particularly in Africa" (under agenda item 19 (e)) (convened by the delegation of Iceland)

Thursday, 16 November 2017

13:00 to 16:00 .Conference Room C

Informal informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.2/72/L.23, entitled "Middle income countries" (under agenda item 21 (d)) (convened by the delegation of Australia)

Thursday, 16 November 2017

13:00 to 15:00 .Conference Room B

Informal informal consultations on draft resolution A/C.2/72/L.31, entitled "Follow-up to the Fourth United Nations Conference on the Least Developed Countries" (under agenda item 22 (a)) (convened by the delegation of Turkey)

Thursday, 16 November 2017

14:00 to 17:00 Conference Room S-1523

Forthcoming other meetings

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Briefing on the third session of the United Nations Environment Assembly entitled "Towards a Pollution-Free Planet" (A/RES/71/231) (organized by the United Nations Environment Programme (UNEP))

Thursday, 16 November 2017

10:00 to 11:30 Conference Room 12

All permanent missions and permanent observer missions are invited. For further information, please contact the New York UNEP Office (Mr. Juan Rengifo (e-mail rengifo@un.org); or Mr. Alejandro Laguna (e-mail laguna@un.org)).

Event entitled "Creating the Conditions for Decent Work for All: Localizing Sustainable Development Goal (SDG) 8" (A/RES/70/1) (co-organized by the Permaneut Missions of Argentina and Belgium, the International Labour Organization and the New York City Mayor's Office for International Affairs)

Thursday, 16 November 2017

13:15 to 14:30 Trusteeship Council Chamber

All are invited. For further information, please contact Mr. Kevin Cassidy, ILO Office for the United Nations (e-mail cassidy@ilo.org; tel. 1 (212) 697-3030).

Group of Friends of the International Criminal Court: Meeting with Civil Society Organizations (A/RES/72/3) (organized by the Permanent Mission of Brazil)

Thursday, 16 November 2017

13:15 to 14:30 Conference Room 12

For further information, please contact Mr. Patrick Luna, Permanent Mission of Brazil (e-mail patrick.luna@itamaraty.gov.br; tel. 1 (212) 372-2600).

Event entitled "Sustainable Tourism – changing the world through travel" (on the occasion of the International Year of Sustainable Tourism for Development (A/RES/70/193)) (co-organized by the Permanent Missions of Botswana, Israel, Kenya, Rwanda, Uganda and Zambia, in cooperation with the organization Travel+SocialGood)

Thursday, 16 November 2017

16:00 to 18:00 Economic and Social Council Chamber

All are invited. For further information, please contact Mr. Julian Shocron, Permanent Mission of Israel (e-mail uncoordinator@newyork.mfa.gov.il; tel. 1 (212) 499-5344).

Briefing to Member States on the "Field Environmental Impact" (A/RES/70/286) (organized by the Department of Field Support (DFS))

Friday, 17 November 2017

10:00 to 11:30 Economic and Social Council Chamber

For further information, please contact Ms. Sungmin Patricia Kim, United Nations Department of Field Support (e-mail kim19@un.org; tel. 1 (917) 367-3795).

Event entitled "African Industrial Development: A Pre-Condition for an Effective and Sustainable Continental Free Trade Area (CFTA)" (on the occasion of Africa Industrialization Day (A/RES/44/237)) (co-organized by the Permanent Observer Mission of the African Union, the United Nations Industrial Development Organization (UNIDO) and the Office of the Special Adviser on Africa (OSAA))

Monday, 20 November 2017

13:15 to 14:30 Conference Room 8

All are invited. For further information, please contact Mr. Aaron Cohen, UNIDO New York Office (e-mail a.cohen@unido.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-6885).

Event entitled "Satellite Technology for Sustainable Development" (A/RES/70/198) (co-organized by the Permanent Missions of France and Israel, and the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (FAO))

Monday, 20 November 2017

13:15 to 14:30 Conference Room 11

All are invited. For further information, please contact Mr. Julian Shocron, Permanent Mission of Israel (e-mail uncoordinator@newyork.mfa.gov.il; tel. 1 (212) 499-5344).

Panel discussion on "Toilets and Wastewater" (in observance of the World Toilet Day (A/RES/67/291)) (co-organized by the Permanent Mission of Singapore, UN-Water and the International Chamber of Commerce (ICC), in collaboration with the Permanent Missions of Australia, Bangladesh, Costa Rica, Hungary, India, the Netherlands, Senegal and Slovakia)

Monday, 20 November 2017

13:15 to 14:45 Conference Room 12

All are invited. For further information, please contact Ms. Kathleen Ho, Permanent Mission of Singapore (e-mail kathleen_ho@mfa.gov.sg; tel. 1 (212) 826-0840, ext. 506); to register, please *click here*.

Workshop entitled "Strengthening Implementation and Revitalizing the Global Partnership for Sustainable Development through Public and Private Partnerships in Conflict Resolution" (co-organized by the Permanent Mission of Sweden, the United Nations Institute for Training and Research (UNITAR) and the Columbia Law School)

Wednesday, 22 November 2017

10:00 to 18:00 Conference Room F

All are invited. For further information, please contact Mr. Pelayo Álvarez, UNITAR (e-mail pelayo.alvarez@unitar.org or nyo@unitar.org; 1 (212) 963-9196); to register, please *click here*.

Non-Aligned Movement (High-level meeting on human rights and cultural diversity)

Thursday, 30 November 2017

10:00 to 16:30 Closed meeting Economic and Social Council Chamber

Non-Aligned Movement (monthly meeting) (at the ambassadorial level)

Thursday, 30 November 2017

16:30 to 18:00 Closed meeting Economic and Social Council Chamber

Announcements

Training for delegates and staff of permanent missions

The Dag Hammarskjöld Library will conduct the following training in English (unless otherwise indicated) for delegates and staff of permanent missions, at the Library Building, Room L-133 (First Floor), for the month of *November 2017*:

Treaty Research

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Voting Information (French)

Security Council Documentation

All interested are kindly requested to register by accessing the Library Training Calendar (*click here*).

For more information, please contact the Library (e-mail library-ny@un.org; tel. 1 (212) 963-3000).

In addition to the training offered, the Library will be hosting the following events:

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To register for this session, please *click here*.

Library talks - Beyond the Islamic State: Emerging terrorism threats in the West

To register for this session, please *click here*.

Press kit for the seventy-second session of the General Assembly

The press kit for the seventy-second session of the General Assembly is available online in all six official languages. Produced by the Department of Public Information (DPI), in cooperation with the Department for General Assembly and Conference Management (DGACM), the kit is paper-free.

Print-on-demand versions are available on the General Assembly website (*click here*).

Repertoire of the Practice of the Security Council

The *Repertoire* provides comprehensive coverage of the Security Council's interpretation and application of the United Nations Charter and its own Provisional Rules of Procedure. It is prepared by the Security Council Affairs Division in the Department of Political Affairs.

The *Repertoire* is designed to assist government officials, practitioners of international law and international relations, academics and all those interested in the work of the United Nations in following the evolving practice of the Council and gaining a better understanding of the framework in which it operates.

The *Repertoire* is available in the six official languages of the United Nations. The latest printed volume (Seventeenth Supplement), covering the years 2010 to 2011, is now available.

For copies of this volume and all previous Supplements, please contact Mr. Louis Giordano, Meetings Support Section (tel. 1 (212) 963-7288). The Eighteenth

Supplement (2012-2013) and Parts I, V and X of the Nineteenth Supplement (2014-2015) are available in their advance versions on the *Repertoire section* of the website of the Security Council.

Calendar of conferences and meetings

The 2017 calendar of conferences and meetings is available and posted on the Department for General Assembly and Conference Management (DGACM) website, or can be consulted by *clicking here*.

Summary of official meetings

Tuesday, 14 November 2017

Security Council

[archived video]

8099th meeting *The situation in Somalia*

Letter dated 2 November 2017 from the Chair of the Security Council Committee pursuant to resolutions 751 (1992) and 1907 (2009) concerning Somalia and Eritrea addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2017/924)

Letter dated 2 November 2017 from the Chair of the Security Council Committee pursuant to resolutions 751 (1992) and 1907 (2009) concerning Somalia and Eritrea addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2017/925)

The agenda was adopted without objection.

The President invited the representatives of Djibouti, Eritrea and Somalia to participate in the meeting, in accordance with rule 37 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure.

The President drew attention to the text of a draft resolution contained in document S/2017/945, submitted by the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland.

The Council proceeded to vote on the draft resolution (S/2017/945) before it.

Decision: The draft resolution (S/2017/945) received 11 votes in favour, none against and four abstentions (Bolivia (Plurinational State of), China, Egypt and Russian Federation), and was adopted unanimously as resolution 2385 (2017).

After the vote, the Council heard statements by the representatives of the United Kingdom, Ethiopia, Egypt, the Russian Federation, Sweden, the United States, China, Uruguay, Kazakhstan, the Plurinational State of Bolivia, France and Senegal; and by the President, speaking in his capacity as the representative of Italy.

The Council heard statements by the representative of Somalia, by His Excellency Osman Saleh, Minister for Foreign Affairs of the State of Eritrea, and by the representative of Djibouti.

8100th meeting *Security Council resolutions 1160 (1998), 1199 (1998), 1203 (1998), 1239 (1999) and 1244 (1999)*

Report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Interim Administration Mission in Kosovo (S/2017/911)

The agenda was adopted without objection.

The President invited the representative of Serbia to participate in the meeting, in accordance with rule 37 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure.

The President invited Mr. Zahir Tanin, Special Representative of the Secretary-General and Head of the United Nations Interim Administration Mission in Kosovo, to participate in the meeting, in accordance with rule 39 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure.

The President invited Ms. Vlora Çitaku to participate in the meeting, in accordance with rule 39 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure.

The Council began its consideration of the item and heard a briefing by Mr. Tanin.

The Council heard a statement by His Excellency Ivica Dačić, First Deputy Prime Minister and Minister for Foreign Affairs of the Republic of Serbia.

The Council heard a statement by Ms. Çitaku.

Statements were made by the representatives of Japan, France, the Russian Federation, Sweden, Uruguay, Senegal, the United States, the United Kingdom, Ethiopia, China, the Plurinational State of Bolivia, Ukraine, Kazakhstan and Egypt; and by the President, speaking in his capacity as the representative of Italy.

General Assembly

Seventy-second session

[archived video]

54th plenary meeting *Implementation of the resolutions of the United Nations* [item 120]
Revitalization of the work of the General Assembly [item121]

Joint debate

The General Assembly resumed its consideration of agenda items 120 and 121.

Statements were made by the representatives of South Africa, Egypt, Slovakia, Guatemala, the United States, the Russian Federation, Croatia (also on behalf of Colombia) and Bangladesh.

The General Assembly thus concluded this stage of its consideration of agenda items 120 and 121.

Main Committees

Third Committee

[archived video]

45th meeting *Right of peoples to self-determination* [item 71]

Introduction of draft resolution A/C.3/72/L.59

The representative of Egypt introduced the draft resolution.

Andorra, Angola, Belgium, Bolivia (Plurinational State of), Bosnia and Herzegovina, Brazil, Croatia, Cuba, Cyprus, Czechia, Ecuador, El Salvador, Estonia, Ethiopia, Germany, Ghana, Greece, Haiti, Hungary, Iceland, Italy, Kenya, the Lao People's Democratic Republic, Latvia, Lesotho, Liberia, Liechtenstein, Lithuania, Madagascar, Monaco, Montenegro, the Netherlands, New Zealand, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines, Serbia, Slovenia, South Africa, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia, the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland, Vanuatu, Viet Nam, Zambia and Zimbabwe, joined the list of co-sponsors of the draft resolution.

On a point of order, a statement was made by the representative of the Syrian Arab Republic, to which the Secretary of the Committee responded.

Promotion and protection of human rights: Human rights questions, including alternative approaches for improving the effective enjoyment of human rights and fundamental freedoms [item 72 (b)]

Action on draft resolution A/C.3/72/L.25

The Committee was informed that the draft resolution contained no programme budget implications.

The representative of Qatar made a statement.

Algeria, Antigua and Barbuda, Australia, Bolivia (Plurinational State of), Cameroon, El Salvador, Eritrea, Kiribati, Lebanon, Libya, Mauritania, the Niger, Nigeria, Sierra Leone, Tunisia, Turkey, Uganda, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of) and Yemen joined the list of co-sponsors of the draft resolution.

Statements were made by the representatives of the Syrian Arab Republic, Qatar and the United States.

The Committee adopted the draft resolution, by a recorded vote of 178 to 0, with 2 abstentions.

Promotion and protection of human rights: Human rights situations and reports of special rapporteurs and representatives [item 72 (c)]

A statement was made by the representative of the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela, on behalf of the Non-Aligned Movement.

The Secretary of the Committee made a statement in relation to the postponement of action on draft resolution A/C.3/72/L.48.

*Action on draft resolution A/C.3/72/L.40**

The Committee was informed that the draft resolution contained no programme budget implications.

A statement was made by the representative of Estonia.

Albania, Andorra, Benin, Bosnia and Herzegovina, Chile, Georgia, Honduras, Israel, Maldives, Mexico, New Zealand, Palau, the Republic of Moldova, San Marino, Serbia, Solomon Islands and the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia joined the list of co-sponsors of the draft resolution.

Statements were made by the representatives of the Democratic People's Republic of Korea, Japan and the Syrian Arab Republic.

The Committee adopted the draft resolution.

After the adoption, statements were made by the representatives of Singapore, the Islamic Republic of Iran, China, the Russian Federation, Australia (also on behalf of Canada, Iceland, Liechtenstein, New Zealand, Norway and Switzerland), Belarus, the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela, Costa Rica and Cuba.

Action on draft resolution A/C.3/72/L.41

The Committee was informed that the draft resolution contained no programme budget implications.

The representative of Canada made a statement.

Andorra, Honduras, Palau, Portugal, the Republic of Moldova, Romania, San Marino, Slovakia and the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia joined the list of co-sponsors of the draft resolution.

A statement was made by the representative of the Islamic Republic of Iran.

Statements were made by the representatives of Saudi Arabia, the Syrian Arab Republic, the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela, the Russian Federation, Belarus, Cuba, Pakistan, the Democratic People's Republic of Korea and China.

The Committee adopted the draft resolution, by a recorded vote of 83 to 30, with 68 abstentions.

Statements were made by the representatives of Mexico, Japan, Brazil, Chile, Ecuador, the Islamic Republic of Iran and Saudi Arabia.

Action on draft resolution A/C.3/72/L.42

The Committee was informed that the draft resolution contained no programme budget implications.

The representative of Ukraine made a statement.

Haiti, Iceland, Italy, Japan, Kiribati, the Marshall Islands, Palau and Romania joined the list of co-sponsors of the draft resolution.

Statements were made by the representatives of Azerbaijan, the Russian Federation, the Syrian Arab Republic, Canada, the United Kingdom, the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela, the Democratic People's Republic of Korea, the Islamic Republic of Iran, Belarus, China and Pakistan.

The Committee adopted the draft resolution, by a recorded vote of 71 to 25, with 77 abstentions.

Organization of work

The Chair made a statement.

46th meeting

The summary of the 46th meeting of the Third Committee will appear in the next issue of the *Journal* (No. 2017/221).

Signatures, Ratifications, etc.

The dates indicated correspond to the dates of receipt of the relevant documents, except for the signatures.

[Multilateral Treaties Deposited with the Secretary-General]

Doha Amendment to the Kyoto Protocol. Doha, 8 December 2012

Acceptance: Belgium (14 November 2017)

Acceptance: Germany (14 November 2017)

Acceptance: Spain (14 November 2017)

Acceptance: Sweden (14 November 2017)

Amendment to the Montreal Protocol on Substances that Deplete the Ozone Layer. Kigali, 15 October 2016

Acceptance: Finland (14 November 2017)

Ratification: United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland (14 November 2017)

General information

Chairs of regional groups

The following information regarding the chairmanship of the regional groups for the month of *November 2017* has been communicated to the Secretariat:

African States
Gabonese Republic
His Excellency Michel Xavier Biang

Asia-Pacific States
Pakistan
Her Excellency Maleeha Lodhi

Eastern European States
Ukraine
His Excellency Volodymyr Yelchenko

Latin American and Caribbean States
Paraguay
His Excellency Julio César Arriola Ramírez

Western European and other States
Spain
His Excellency Román Oyarzun Marchesi

General Assembly

Seventy-second session

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The agenda of the seventy-second session of the General Assembly is contained in documents A/72/251 and A/72/251/Add.1 and the allocation of agenda items for the session is contained in documents A/72/252 and A/72/252/Add.1.

The annotated preliminary list of items to be included in the provisional agenda of the seventy-second regular session of the General Assembly is issued as document A/72/100 and the annotated draft agenda of the seventy-second session has been issued as document A/72/100/Add.1.

The programme of the work and the schedule of plenary meetings of the General Assembly during the main part of its seventy-second session is contained in document A/INF/72/3. Updates to the programme of work will be reflected in the online schedule of meetings.

The report of the Secretary-General on the status of documentation for the seventy-second session of the General Assembly has been issued in document A/71/966/Add.1.

In accordance with Rule 27 of the rules of procedure of the General Assembly, credentials for the seventy-second session of the General Assembly must be addressed to the Secretary-General and signed by the Head of the State or Government or the Minister for Foreign Affairs.

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Security Council

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